

In re Application of:

SHINYA GOTO

Application No.: 09/546,682

Filed: April 11, 2000

For: CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION OUTPUT APPARATUS, CHARACTER STRING INFORMATION OUTPUT SYSTEM, CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION OUTPUT METHOD, CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION INPUT APPARATUS, CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION INPUT SYSTEM, CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION INPUT METHOD, STORAGE MEDIUM AND CHARACTER-STRING INFORMATION RECORDING APPARATUS

Docket No. 03500.014417.

Examiner: W. Sajous

Group Art Unit: 2676

Date: February 2, 2004

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 15	MINUS	** 22	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 9	MINUS	*** 9	= 0	x \$43 \$86	\$0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the fee for a____ month extension is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

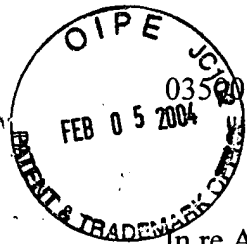
Respectfully submitted,



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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

A timely Notice of Appeal was filed on December 1, 2003. Prior to continued examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 9.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Leonard P. Diana

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Date of Signature